

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: LEBEL et al.

APPLICATION No: To Be Assigned

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FOR: Expression of Trehalose 6-Phosphate Synthase and Trehalose 6-Phosphate  
Phosphatase in Plant Plastids

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fees and examination of this case on the merits,  
please amend the application as follows: